

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Government Operations, Public Works, and Telecommunications

Senate Bill 629

Relating to: substance abuse by employees performing work on public utility projects located in public rights-of-way and passing emergency or roadside service vehicles stopped on or near the highway.

By Senators Farrow and Hansen; cosponsored by Representatives Kahl and Kuglitsch.

March 05, 2014

Public Hearing Held

Present: (7) Senator Farrow; Senators Gudex, Lasee, Kedzie, Wirch, Harris and Shilling.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Robb Kahl - Representative - 47th Assembly District
- Bob Welch - Local 139 - Operating Engineers

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Paul Farrow - Senator - 33rd Senate District
- Mark Reihl - Wisconsin State Council of Carpenters
- Heather Berlinski - Municipal Electric Utilities of Wisconsin
- John Garvin - ATC
- Bill Skewes - WUA
- Joel Haubrich - WE Energies
- John Sumi - MG&E
- Chris LaRowe - Wisconsin Public Service
- Kristen Gilkes - Alliant Energy
- Nathan Franklin - Dairyland Power

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 10, 2014

Executive Session Held

Present: (7) Senator Farrow; Senators Gudex, Lasee,
Kedzie, Wirch, Harris and Shilling.
Absent: (0) None.
Excused: (0) None.

Moved by that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (7) Senator Farrow; Senators Gudex, Lasee,
Kedzie, Wirch, Harris and Shilling.

Noes: (0) None.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED,
Ayes 7, Noes 0

Moved by that **Senate Bill 629** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (7) Senator Farrow; Senators Gudex, Lasee,
Kedzie, Wirch, Harris and Shilling.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 7, Noes 0

Scott Rausch
Committee Clerk